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## ADVENT II

10 December 2023

HYMN 9

*Merton*

Introit

**O** People of Sion, behold, the Lord is nigh at hand to redeem the nations: *and in the gladness of your heart the Lord shall cause his glorious voice to be heard.* Ps. Hear, O thou Shepherd of Israel: *Thou that leadest Joseph like a sheep.* Glory be. *As it was. O People of Sion.*

*You may be seated for the following movement when the Sacred Ministers sit*

Kyrie eleison

*Lord Nelson Mass*

Franz Josef Haydn

Collect *standing*

**B**lessed Lord, who hast caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: grant that we may in such wise hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them; that by patience, and comfort of thy holly Word, we may embrace, and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which thou hast given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ: Who liveth.

Epistle *seated*

*Romans 15:4-13*

**B**RETHREN: Whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope. Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be likeminded one toward another according to Christ Jesus: That ye may with one mind and one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Wherefore receive ye one another, as Christ also received us to the glory of God. Now I say that Jesus Christ was a minister of the circumcision for the truth of God, to confirm the promises made unto the fathers: And that the Gentiles might glorify God for his mercy; as it is written, For this cause I will confess to thee among the Gentiles, and sing unto thy name. And again he saith, Rejoice, ye Gentiles, with his people. And again, Praise the Lord, all ye Gentiles; and laud him, all ye people. And again, Esaias saith, There shall be a root of Jesse, and he that shall rise to reign over the Gentiles; in him shall the Gentiles trust. Now the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost.

Gradual

**O**ut of Sion hath God appeared: *in perfect beauty.* V. Gather my saints together unto me: *those that have made a covenant with me with sacrifice.*

**A**lleluia, *Alleluia.* V. I was glad when they said unto me: *we will go into the house of the Lord.* *Alleluia.*

*(The Sign of the Cross is made on the forehead, lips and heart at the introduction to the Gospel to show that we have learnt the Gospel with our minds, proclaim it to others with our lips, and love it with all our hearts.)*

Gospel

*standing*

*Matthew 11:2-10*

**A**T THAT TIME: When John had heard in the prison the works of Christ, he sent two of his disciples, And said unto him, Art thou he that should come, or do we look for another? Jesus answered and said unto them, Go and shew John again those things which ye do hear and see: The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them. And blessed is he, whosoever shall not be offended in me. And as they departed, Jesus began to say unto the multitudes concerning John, What went ye out into the wilderness to see? A reed shaken with the wind? But what went ye out for to see? A man clothed in soft raiment? behold, they that wear soft clothing are in kings' houses. But what went ye out for to see? A prophet? yea, I say unto you, and more than a prophet. For this is he, of whom it is written, Behold, I send my messenger before thy face, which shall prepare thy way before thee.

HYMN 2

*Veni Emmanuel*

Mass Intentions & Sermon

Father Swain

Nicene Creed

*standing*

Hymnal 759

General Confession

*kneeling*

*The Mass, p. 5*

Offertory

*standing*

**W**ilt thou not turn again, O God, and quicken us: / that thy people may rejoice in thee: *shew us thy mercy, O Lord, /and grant us thy salvation*

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HYMN 10

*Winchester New*

Sursum Corda

*The Mass, p. 6*

Sanctus & Benedictus

Haydn

*As is occasionally our practice, the Canon will be said quietly, the first part under the Sanctus, the Consecrations in silence, and the second part under the Benedictus. Please kneel immediately as the Sanctus begins as the Canon will also begin at the same time, even though you cannot hear it.*

The Canon of the Mass

*kneeling*

Our Father

Hymnal 722

Agnus Dei

Haydn

Communion

**J**erusalem, haste thee, and stand up on high: *and behold the joy and gladness that cometh unto thee from God thy Saviour.*

HYMN "Long ago, prophets knew" *later in this service paper*

*Personent hodie*

Post Communion *standing*

Lord, who hast fulfilled us with spiritual food and sustenance, we humbly beseech thee: that through the partaking of these holy mysteries thou wouldest teach us to despise things earthly, and to love the things that are heavenly. Through.

Dismissal *standing*

Blessing *kneeling* *The Mass, p. 12*

The Last Gospel *standing* *The Mass, p. 12*

Angelus *The Mass, p. 13*

HYMN "The Advent of Our God" *St Thomas New*

## NOTES

### ☛ COULD YOU ATTEND A WEEKDAY MASS THIS WEEK?

Tuesday	Our Lady of Guadalupe	Low Mass, 12.15 p.m.
Wednesday	St Lucy, VM (Feria)	Low Mass, 12.15 p.m.
Thursday	Octave (Feria)	Low Mass, 12.15 p.m.
Friday	Octave Day (Feria)	Low Mass, 12.15 p.m.
Saturday	Feria	Low Mass, Noon
Sunday	ADVENT III	High Mass, 11.00 a.m.

### ANNIVERSARIES:

#### RIP:

December 10	J. Winifred Barrett, 1961 David S. Hull, 1998
December 12	Wilhelmine Lengenhausen, 1956
December 12	Jessie Snyder Clapp, 1965 Tallulah Bankhead, 1968
December 13	Martin Benson, 1971 Ann Ziebarth, 1988 John Michael Crothers, SSC, Priest & Sometime Curate, 2020
December 15	Alexander Herriot Macknochie, SSC, Priest, 1887

In our London Companion Diocesan Cycle of Prayer, we pray for St Alphege, Burnt Oak, Hendon.

Next Sunday is the Rose Sunday in Advent, Gaudete Sunday, and rose-coloured vestments and frontals will replace the more austere violet. This is a token of the mid-point in Advent and a kind of foretaste of Christmas.

As a result of Christmas falling on a Sunday night, we shall be decorating NEXT SUNDAY after High Mass. The more there are, the less time it will take. Mr Hutchison will be present to direct the activities and hopes for willing helpers!

## *Christmastide 2023*

Sunday, 24 December – CHRISTMAS EVE

High Mass of the Vigil, 11.00 a.m. NOT A CHRISTMAS MASS

Music: Plainsong, *Missa de Angelis*

\*High Mass, 7.00 p.m. NOTE THE TIME

Music: Hans Klier, *Oberndorfer Stille-Nacht-Messe*

Franz Xaver Gruber, *Stille Nacht*

Monday, 25 December, Christmas Day

\*11.00 a.m., High Mass

Music: George Malcolm, *Missa ad Praesepe*

Francis Poulenc, *Quem Vidiſtis Paſtores*

Sunday, 31 December, Sunday in Octave of Christmas

\*High Mass, 11.00 a.m.



Music: Jacob Handl, *Missa super "Un Gay Bergier"*

# 8 Second Tune

## Advent

L. M.

REX GLORIOSE

Melody

Andernach Gesangbuch, 1608

*In moderate time*

1 O Word, that go - est forth on high From God's own depths e - ter - nal - ly,  
2 Pour light up - on us from a - bove, And fire our hearts with ar - dent love,

And in these lat - ter days wast born For suc - cor to a world for - lorn;  
That, as we hear thy truth to - day, All wrong desires may burn a - way; A-men.

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MERTON

WILLIAM HENRY MONK, 1850

*In moderate time*

1 Hark! a thrill - ing voice is sound - ing; "Christ is nigh," it seems to say;  
2 Wa - ken'd by the sol - emn warn - ing, Let the earth - bound soul a - rise;  
3 Lo! the Lamb, so long ex - pect - ed, Comes with par - don down from heav'n;

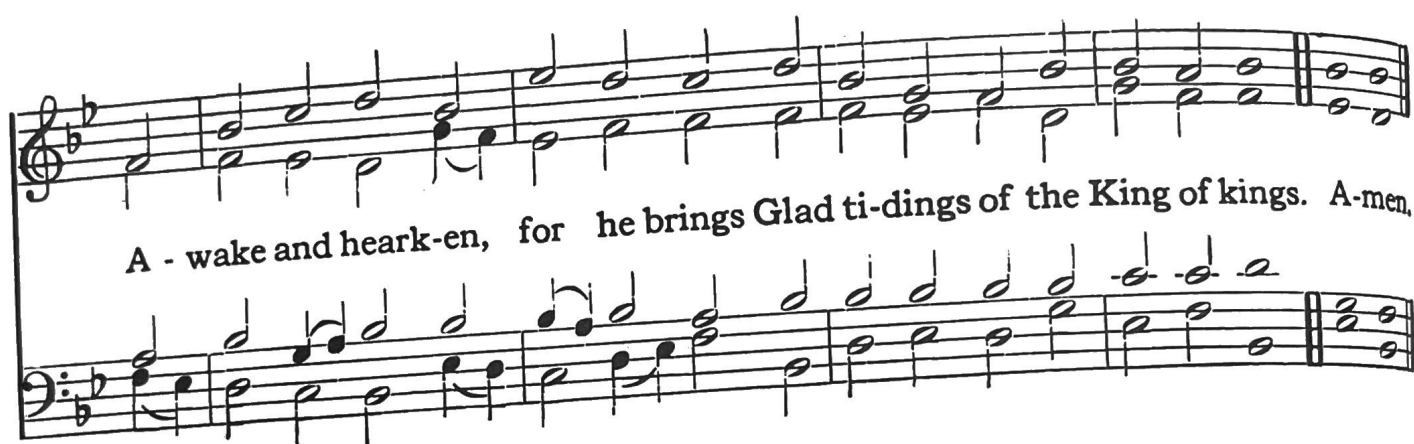
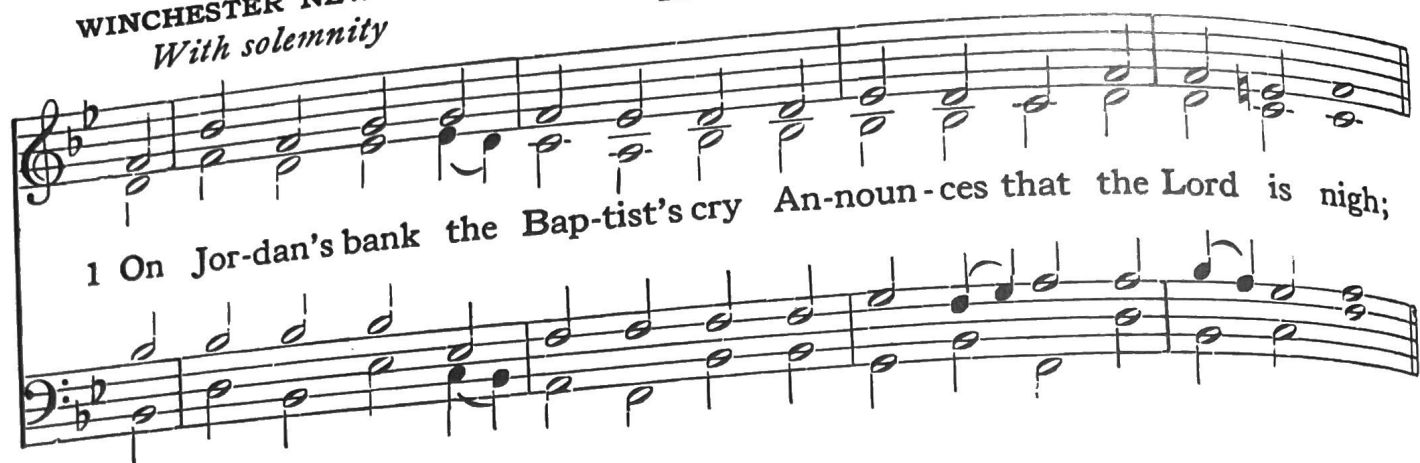
"Cast a - way the works of dark - ness, O ye chil - dren of the day."  
Christ, her sun, all sloth dis - pell - ing, Shines up - on the morn - ing skies.  
Let us haste, with tears of sor - row, One and all to be for - giv'n; A-men.

4 So when next he comes with glory, 5 Honor, glory, might, and blessing  
And the world is wrapped in fear, To the Father and the Son,  
May he with his mercy shield us, With the everlasting Spirit  
And with words of love draw near. While unending ages run. Amen.

Latin, c. 6th cent.; Tr. EDWARD CASWALL, 1849, alt.

## Advent

L. M.

WINCHESTER NEW  
*With solemnity*Adapted from  
*Musikalisches Handbuch, Hamburg, 1690*

- 2 Then cleansed be every breast from sin;  
Make straight the way of God within,  
And let each heart prepare a home  
Where such a mighty guest may come.
- 3 For thou art our salvation, Lord,  
Our refuge, and our great reward;  
Without thy grace we waste away  
Like flowers that wither and decay.
- 4 To heal the sick stretch out thine hand,  
And bid the fallen sinner stand;  
Shine forth, and let thy light restore  
Earth's own true loveliness once more.
- 5 All praise, eternal Son, to thee,  
Whose advent doth thy people free;  
Whom with the Father we adore  
And Holy Ghost for evermore. Amen.

## Advent

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Melody adapted from plainsong, Mode I,  
by THOMAS HELMORE, 1854

## VENI EMMANUEL

*In unison, boldly*

1 O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, And ran - som cap - tive  
 \*2 O come, thou Wis - dom from on high. Who ord' - rest all things  
 3 O come, O come, thou Lord of might, Who to thy tribes on

Is - ra - el, That mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here  
 might - ti - ly; To us the path of knowl - edge show,  
 Si - nai's height In an - cient times didst give the law,

## Refrain

Un - til the Son of God ap - pear. Re - joice! Re - joice!  
 And teach us in her ways to go.  
 In cloud, and ma - jes - ty, and awe.



# Advent



4 O come, thou Rod of Jesse's stem,  
 From every foe deliver them  
 That trust thy mighty power to save,  
 And give them vict'ry o'er the grave.  
     Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
     Shall come to thee, O Israel!

5 O come, thou Key of David, come,  
 And open wide our heav'nly home;  
 Make safe the way that leads on high,  
 And close the path to misery.  
     Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
     Shall come to thee, O Israel!

6 O come, thou Day-spring from on high,  
 And cheer us by thy drawing nigh;  
 Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,  
 And death's dark shadow put to flight.  
     Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
     Shall come to thee, O Israel!

\*7 O come, Desire of nations, bind  
 In one the hearts of all mankind;  
 Bid thou our sad divisions cease,  
 And be thyself our King of Peace.  
     Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel  
     Shall come to thee, O Israel! Amen.





# Long Ago, Prophets Knew

PERSONENT HODIE

mel., from *Piae Cantiones* (1582)

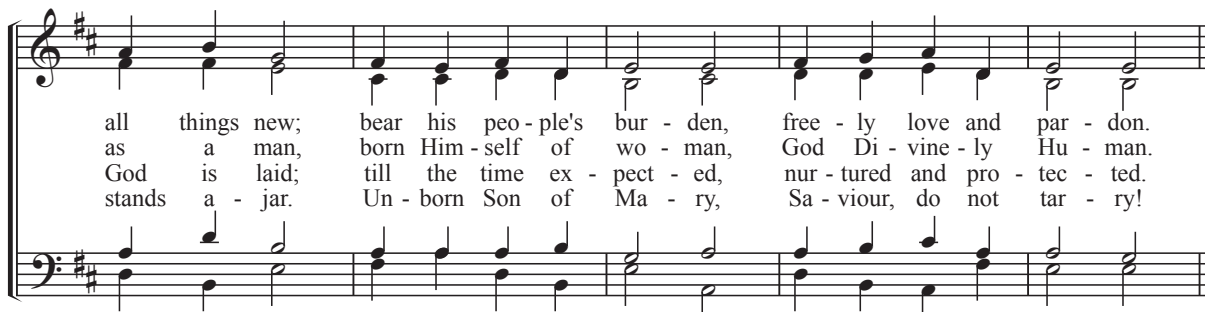
harm., *The New English Hymnal* (1986)

Fred Pratt Green

1903-2000



1. Long a - go, pro - phets knew Christ would come, born a Jew, Come to make  
 2. God in time, God in Man, this is God's time-less plan: He will come,  
 3. Ma - ry, hail! Though a - fraid, she be - lieved, she o - beyed. In her womb  
 4. Jour - ney ends! Where a - far Beth - lehem shines, like a star, Sta - ble door



all things new; bear his peo - ple's bur - den, free - ly love and par - don.  
 as a man, born Him - self of wo - man, God Di - vine - ly Hu - man.  
 God is laid; till the time ex - pect - ed, nur - tured and pro - tec - ted.  
 stands a - jar. Un - born Son of Ma - ry, Sa - viour, do not tar - ry!



Ring, bells, ring, ring, ring! Sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! When he  
 Ring, bells, ring, ring, ring! Sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! When he  
 Ring, bells, ring, ring, ring! Sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! When he  
 Ring bells, ring, ring, ring! Sing, choirs, sing, sing, sing! Je - sus



comes, when he comes, who will make Him wel - come?  
 comes, when he comes, who will make him wel - come?  
 comes, when he comes, who will make him wel - come?  
 comes! Je - sus comes! We will make him wel - come!

# The Advent of Our God

ST. THOMAS NEW

from Aaron Williams' *New Universal Psalmist* (1770)

Charles Coffin, 1676-1749

tr. Henry Putman, 1861-1935

1. The ad - vent of our God With  
2. The ev - er - last - ing Son Scorns  
— 3. Daugh - ter of Si - on, rise To  
4. On clouds of daz - zling light, As  
5. Let e - vil flee a - way, Ere  
6. Praise to th' in - car - nate Son, Who

ea - ger prayers we greet, And sing - ing haste up -  
not the Vir - gin's womb; That we from bond - age  
— meet thy low - ly King; Let not thy stub - born  
Judge He comes a - gain, His scat - tered peo - ple  
that great hour shall dawn, Let this old A - dam  
comes to set us free, With Fa - ther and with

on the road His glo - rious Gift to meet.  
may be won He bears a bonds - man's doom.  
— heart de - spise The peace He comes to bring.  
to u - nite With Him in heav'n to reign.  
day by day The new Man all put on.  
Spi - rit One, To all e - ter - ni - ty. A - men.